## GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH <u>ABSTRACT</u>

Public Servants – Labour Department – Allegations of corruption against Sri C.Prasad, Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Guntur – Regular Enquiry - Further action dropped on 3 allegations (No.1, 3 & 4) out of 4 allegations as recommended by Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau – Orders – Issued.

LABOUR EMPLOYMENT TRAINING & FACTORIES (VIG) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 1678

<u>Dated:16.11.2009.</u> Read the following:

- 1. From the D.G., ACB., letter.No.81/RE-VGT/2000, dated: 10.4.2003.
- 2. From the D.G., ACB., letter No.64/RCA-NPK/2003, dated:13.9.2003.
- 3. Govt.Memo.No.122/Emp.A3.Vig./2003-1, dated: 23.10.2003.
- 4. G.O.Ms.No.60, LET & F (Emp.) Department, dated:23.10.2003.
- 5. From the COL., Proceedings No.R1/7646/2003, dated:1.11.2003.
- 6. From the DG., ACB., letter R.C.No.81/RE-VGT/2003, dated:15.3.2004.
- 7. From the DG., ACB., letter Rc.No.64/RCA-NPK/2003, Dated:14.10.2005.
- 8. G.O.Ms.No.18 LET & F (Vig.) Department, dated:10.3.2006.
- 9. Govt.Memo.No.122/Vig./2003-5, dated:4.2.2006.
- 10. From the DG., ACB, D.O.letter No.168/RPC ©/2009, dt.18.8.2009.
- 11. From the DG., ACB., letter C.No.81/RE-VGT/2000, dated:30.9.2009.

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## ORDER:

Whereas in the reference 1<sup>st</sup> read above, the Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau has brought to the notice of the Government that a regular enquiry was conducted against Sri C. Prasad, Assistant Commissioner of Labour-II, Guntur on certain allegations of corruption and after a detailed enquiry it was recommended to drop further action on following 3 allegations (No. 1,3 & 4) out of 4 allegations as they are not substantiated.

Allegation -1: That the Accused Officer while working as Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Guntur served notices to 170 Lime Kiln Mill owners and forcibly colleted to a tune of Rs. 3,40,000/- i.e, Rs. 2,000/- each by stating that Ministers and Labour Department staff also had shares in the collection.

Allegation-3: That the Accused Officer collected mamools from millers: other officials i.e., Deputy Commissioner of Labour, Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Labour Officer, and Assistant Labour Officer, also used to collect memools on the plea of inspections".

Allegations-4: That the Accused Officer and other officials collected Rs. 800/-to 1,000/- for each Spinning Wheel of Ginning mills of Chilakaluripet, Piduguralla and Guntur.

- 2. The Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau., has recommended that allegation pertaining to possession of assets disproportionate to the known sources of income by the A.O. (i.e. No.2) is proved and a case has been registered u/s 13 (2) r/w 13(1)(e) of PC Act, 1998.
- 3. In the reference 2<sup>nd</sup> read above, the Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau has sent a preliminary report while enclosing the proposals for attachment of properties on the said allegation of possession of assets disproportionate and

recommended to place the Accused Officer under suspension. Accordingly in the reference 5<sup>th</sup> read above orders were issued to place the Accused Officer under suspension. Further in the reference 7<sup>th</sup> read above, the Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau has submitted a final report recommending to prosecute the Accused Officer in a court of law and also to initiate departmental action against the Accused Officer on the said allegation. Accordingly in the reference 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> read above, prosecution was sanctioned and departmental action was also initiated against the Accused Officer.

- 4. In the reference 6<sup>th</sup> read above the Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau has informed that a copy of the advice of Andhra Pradesh Vigilance Commission for dropping of action in respect of the allegations No.1, 3 & 4 of the regular enquiry was not received and requested to furnish a copy of the advice tendered by the Andhra Pradesh Vigilance Commission of regular enquiry for taking further action in the matter.
- 5. In the references 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> read above the Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau has requested to communicate the Government orders on the final reports against the Accused Officer to the Bureau as this Regular Enquiry pertaining to the year 2000 is still pending for want of the same.
- 6. And whereas Government after careful examination of the report of the Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau and based on all relevant material made available have decided to drop further action on the 3 allegations (No.1, 3 & 4) out of 4 allegations as recommended by Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau against Sri C. Prasad, Asst. Commissioner of Labour-II, Guntur.
- 7. Accordingly, Government hereby direct that further action against Sri C.Prasad, Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Guntur be dropped in respect of allegations No. 1, 3 & 4.
- 8. The Commissioner of Labour shall take further action in the matter and to send the compliance report to Government.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

BHANWAR LAL,
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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Sri C.Prasad, Assistant Commissioner of Labour, Guntur (under suspension) through the Commissioner of Labour, Hyderabad.

The Commissioner of Labour, Hyderabad.

The Director General, Anti Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad.

The Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Vigilance Commission, Hyderabad.

//Forwarded :: by order//

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